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In re patent application of
Richard Anthony Godwin SMITH et al.
Serial No. <Unassigned>
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For: CONJUGATES OF SOLUBLE PEPTIDIC COMPOUNDS
WITH MEMBRANE-BINDING AGENTS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-captioned case,
Applicants respectfully request entry of the following
claim revisions:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 33, 38, 40, 46, and 49.

Claim 3, line 1, delete "or 2".

Claim 4, line 1, delete "any preceding claim" and
insert --claim 1--.

Claim 5, line 1, delete "any preceding claim" and
insert --claim 1--.

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